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Serial No.: 09/550,960
Filing Date: April 17, 2000
Group Art Unit: 3629
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF NETWORK
ADDRESSING AND TRANSLATION IN A
TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

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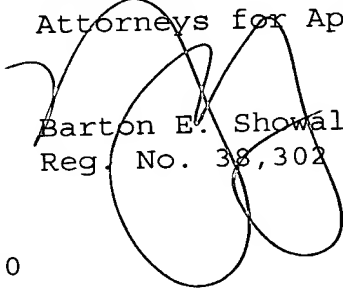
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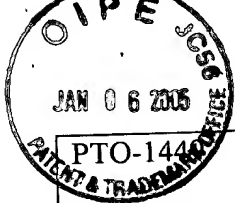
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